

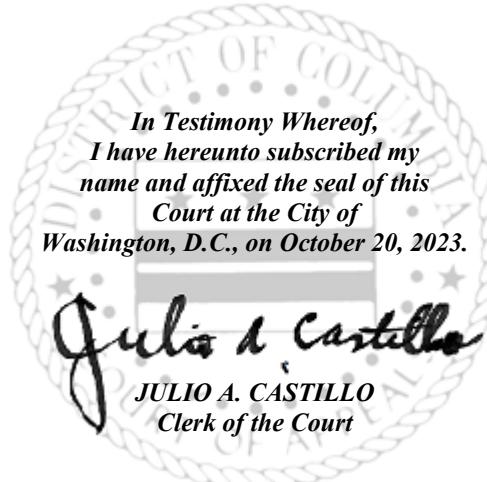
EXHIBIT A



*On behalf of JULIO A. CASTILLO, Clerk of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals,
the District of Columbia Bar does hereby certify that*

Mark Thomas Stancil

*was duly qualified and admitted on September 13, 2002 as an attorney and counselor entitled to
practice before this Court; and is, on the date indicated below, an Active member in good
standing of this Bar.*



Issued By:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David Chu".

*David Chu - Director, Membership
District of Columbia Bar Membership*

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